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This Week

Paragraphs of the Week

Chairman Martin Dies of the House Committee on Un-Americanism was ordered on Thanksgiving day, to take a rest of several weeks. His doctor said he is suffering from the strain caused by his intensive drive against subversive activities.

Premier Daladier was voted decree powers for the duration of the war, making him virtual dictator of France.

State Grange Master F. A. Richardson recommends revision of the tax system to include lower incomes, intangibles and luxuries as further sources of revenue.

Governor Barrows has placed the 57 foot cruiser, Maine, in coastal service from Kittery to Eastport during the winter months. This patrol is for the protection of fishermen and their families who might be in urgent need of supplies or medical aid. The boat is equipped with radio telephone, giving constant contact with Sea and Shore Fisheries Commissioner A. R. Greenleaf.

Reporting 14 deaths from motor accidents in November, Sergeant Francis McCabe, State Police highway safety director, urges pedestrians to be "safe walkers." He says they can be struck and killed even when they have a legal right of way over auto traffic.

Fritz Kuhn, leader of the German-American Bund, was sentenced Tuesday to serve 2½ to 5 years in Sing Sing prison. He was judged guilty of stealing funds from the organization for his personal use.

Grew members of the U. S. Lines' ship, American Traveler, reported in Boston that they had fist fights with Englishmen in British ports. They accused the Britons of referring to Americans as sissies for not entering the war with the English and French, claiming they are fighting for the U. S. as well as Europe.

Justice George Worster of Bangor has been appointed by Governor Barrows to the Maine Supreme Judicial Court, filling the vacancy caused when Associate Justice Charles P. Barnes became Chief Justice.

President Roosevelt has asked Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau to segregate Finland's December 15 war debt payment, until some means may be found for using the funds to aid that honest country without involving the U. S. in conflict.

The Penley Brothers factory at West Paris, which was badly damaged by fire Nov. 5, is being rebuilt and enlarged through the co-operation of the townspeople in clearing debris, salvaging stock and construction of new buildings. With 150 volunteer workers helping, it is hoped the factory may open again by January 1.

Under the "Navicerts" recently adopted by England, British government agents will be stationed at U. S. ports to search and give certification of shipments of non-contraband cargoes. The United States has not approved this program, neither has it objected to it. Captain Bill Wincapaw, New

EIGHT JOIN 40 AND 8 SATURDAY EVENING

Eight Legionnaires of Oxford County became members of the 40 and 8 at Auburn, Saturday evening, when a Tri-County Meeting (Oxford-Franklin-Androscoggin) was held with Voiture 354. After the meeting lunch was served by the Auburn members. Local members attending were Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven and Milo McAllister.

The new members of Oxford County Voiture 613 are John Meserve, Henry Bennett and John Compass of Bethel; Owen Harding of Dixfield; Robert Gordon of Rumford; Lyman Ela, George Roberts, and Merton Charles of Fryeburg.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Annie Young, who has been confined to her home several months with a broken hip, was taken to the home of her niece, Mrs. Rob Wormell, at Woodfords Wednesday. Mrs. Wormell's father, C. L. Davis, who is recovering from injuries received when hit by a car a month ago, will also spend the winter there.

Among those from out-of-town attending the funeral services of Mrs. L. A. Sumner last Thursday were Mrs. Marion Noel and daughter Priscilla of Belmont, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Hills, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Whiting of Bridgton; Mr. and Mrs. William Eastman and Mr. and Mrs. Will Tyler of Dixfield. The following were bearers at the funeral: Gard Bennett and Gard Brown of Bethel, Lawrence Whiting and Linwood Hills.

England's "Flying Santa," has sent word that he will be home from Bolivian gold fields in time to deliver Christmas gifts to nearly 100 lonely lighthouses on the north Atlantic coast. He expects to reach Boston about Dec. 19.

Dr. Ernest H. Gruening, new governor of Alaska, will ask Congress to name the territory as a new state. He says the United States is not imperialistic and should not have colonies. He believes any territory worth holding should be made a state and represented in Congress.

The proposed merger of the Portland National and First National Banks will give Portland one of the largest commercial institutions in New England, with assets of \$29,000,000 and a surplus of \$1,630,000. Formation of the new bank is expected to be effective December 31.

Representative Ralph O. Brewster predicts that Caribou municipal airport will be used as an auxiliary storage base, if the proposed plan for delivering planes to Britain and France from Houlton airport is adopted.

Commissioner for Indian Affairs John Collier reports that America's "vanishing race" has gone on the warpath against extinction. It is staging a strong comeback with an increase in population of 9,381 during last year.

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HOME GAMES OPEN G. A. BASKETBALL

Oxford Teams Here Friday
Gould Academy will open its 1939-1940 basketball season with Oxford High School here on Friday, Dec. 8. The opening game is a Western Maine Conference tilt and should be a real battle from start to finish. The visitors started out on the right foot with a one-sided victory over West Paris to the tune of 28-9. The "Blue and Gold" are as yet untried but have shown promise in scrimmages against the varsity.

The brunt of the burden of play will be taken care of by the forwards, Captain Rodney Wentzel, Guy Swan and Harold Young; the centers Earle Palmer and Hartwell Blanchard; and the guards Carl Tucker, Buddy Clough, and Lee Hutchins. The eight players mentioned above have been playing good ball, handling the ball well, passing, and shooting accurately.

The Gould Girls will open their season Friday also, playing the preliminary game with the Oxford lassies. This game is scheduled to start promptly at 7:15 with the boys' game starting at 8:30. The Bethel sextet lost heavily by graduation and nearly a complete new team will take the floor Friday to oppose the visitors.

Gorham Here Tuesday
On Tuesday Gould will face its traditional New Hampshire rival in a double header starting at 7:15. The second teams will clash in the preliminary and the varsity quintets will follow up. Last year Gorham defeated Gould by one point at Bethel and the tables were turned by the same one point margin at Gorham. The prospects for another pair of thrilling games looks plausible and Bethel fans should be on hand for this game. "Buck" Splinks, popular Bates coach, will be on hand to referee the main games on both Friday and Tuesday nights.

WEST PARIS H. S. GIRLS BEAT OXFORD

The girls' basketball team of West Paris High School played their first game for this school year last Friday night at Oxford. Although it was the next night after Thanksgiving, the girls didn't act as though the holiday had affected them.

It was a close game for the girls. At the half the score was 14-10 in favor of Oxford. In the last half both teams battled for victory. The final score was 24-22 in favor of West Paris. Irene Schroeder as high scorer was assisted by Olga Linnatta, Muriel Emery and Lois Hollis. Playing guard were Helmi Pulkkinen, Lahja Pike, Anna Rosenberg and Helmi Cummings. This is the first time in several years that West Paris has been able to defeat Oxford.

The team is looking forward to a game with Brownfield Friday night, Dec. 8. This is the first league game to be played.

Miss Margaret Hanscom has returned to her work at Bethel Inn.

OPENING NITE

SOUND PICTURES AND DANCE

WED., DEC. 13 — 7.30

LOCKE MILLS TOWN HALL

Our Prices — 10c and 30c

LOCAL TELEPHONE BUSINESS EXPLAINED AT C. OF C.

Fourteen members and three visitors were present at the meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce, Tuesday evening. Following a supper served by the ladies of the Legion Auxiliary, the business meeting was held. Herbert R. Rowe was appointed as winter sports correspondent, and Henry P. Austin was appointed to act as treasurer until the annual meeting, taking the place of Harold Chamberlin who will soon leave for the South.

Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven then gave a very instructive talk on the telephone business, giving an interesting account of some of the early telephone history in town and an explanation of the present day improvements, equipment and practices. Afterward the audience examined a display of old and new tools and accessories.

Supper committee for the next meeting is Frank A. Hunt and E. A. Van Den Kerckhoven.

SANTA CLAUS EXPECTED DEC. 14

Don't forget to "join the happy throng" at the Methodist Church on Dec. 14.

Word has been received that Santa Claus will bring a gift for each child. The Girls' Glee Club of the Grammar School will be present to help welcome Santa with carols. Already the "Parcel Post" has begun to arrive and packages have been received from officials in Washington.

Tea will be served. Ice cream, hot dogs and coffee will be on sale. Everyone is looking forward to a jolly good time on Dec. 14 at the Methodist Church.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. J. C. Bartlett of East Bethel was hostess at a party Tuesday afternoon in honor of her daughter Shirley's fifth birthday. Those present were Mrs. Leland Coolidge and children, Robert and Serena, Mrs. Almon Coolidge and two children, Mrs. David Foster, Clarabelle and June Foster, Mrs. Urban Bartlett, Mr. Clarke and Dorothy Ann Bartlett, Mrs. Evelyn Harrington, Gerry Smith, Caroline Dorey, Mrs. William Hastings, son Edward, Mrs. R. D. Hastings, Warren and Ann Hastings, Mrs. Willis Bartlett and son Clayton, Mrs. Guy Bartlett and grandson Keith, Mrs. S. B. Newton. Ice cream, fancy cupcakes and a birthday cake were served. Miss Shirley received a large number of gifts.

FRANKLIN GRANGE

Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond had talking movies at their Grange meeting, Saturday evening, December 2nd, and the Juvenile Grange was invited. On account of the rain there was a small attendance.

The next meeting will be Dec. 16 at which election of officers will be held.

Everett Davis, the Master, is attending State Grange in Portland this week.

BASKETBALL

Two Games
GOULD vs.
OXFORD HIGH

GOULD GIRLS vs.
OXFORD GIRLS
FRIDAY, DEC. 8

Two Games
GOULD vs.
GORHAM, N. H., HIGH

GOULD SECONDS vs.
GORHAM SECONDS
TUESDAY, DEC. 12

Games at 7:15 and 8:30
Wm. Blinham Gym. Adm. 25c

FRANK BROWN HURT WHEN CAR SKIDS

While en route to Bethel Saturday morning to attend the monthly meeting of the trustees of the Bethel Savings Bank, Frank A. Brown of South Portland, president of the bank, was injured when his car left the road in Poland. With him was his daughter, Mrs. Byron Abbott, also of South Portland. The accident occurred when the car climbed a bank and overturned backwards after skidding on ice.

Mr. Brown was taken to the home of his son, Edward H. Brown, at Norway and from there to his own home Monday. No bones were broken but he must remain in bed for some time while recovering from the shock of the accident. Mrs. Abbott suffered a broken rib.

KIRK—SWIFT

The wedding of Robert W. Kirk of Bethel and Miss Carolyn Swift of Locke Mills occurred at West Paris Wednesday morning at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes. The double ring service was used. The couple were attended by Stanley Brown of Bethel and Miss Margaret Coolidge of Locke Mills, schoolmates of the bride and groom.

Mrs. Kirk is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swift of Locke Mills, and graduated from Gould Academy last spring. Mr. Kirk is the son of Robert and Mabel Bean Kirk of Bethel and was a graduate of Gould Academy in the class of 1935. Both have been employed by the E. L. Tebbets Spool Co.

After the ceremony the couple left for Florida where they will spend some time.

OLSON—PULKKINEN

Saturday evening, Nov. 25, at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. John Manter in Upton, Miss Ida Helen Pulkkinen became the bride of Ole Olson Jr. of North Newry. The bride wore a gown of light blue silk crepe with maroon accessories. Mrs. Bertha Cummings, sister of the bridegroom, was matron of honor. She wore a gown of light blue silk crepe with maroon accessories. Arne Cummings, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, was his attendant.

Mrs. Olson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Pulkkinen of West Paris. She was educated in the West Paris schools and has since been employed in South Paris.

Mr. Olson is the son of Ole Olson of North Newry, was educated in the Newry schools and is now engaged in farming.

The young couple left immediately after the ceremony for a trip through the White Mountains. They will reside in North Newry.

Mrs. Mina Harriman has closed her home on Summer Street and will spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Tyler.

TAXPAYERS ATTENTION

On Dec. 31st, 1939, our Town Books will close for this year. Your Collector's Report which will be given in at that time must include all unpaid taxes.

Heed this warning and pay your taxes now.

Your Town needs your support.

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Collector
for Town of Bethel

DECEMBER SALE

at
METHODIST CHURCH
DEC. 14
Afternoon and Evening
SANTA CLAUS
will arrive on 4:35 train.
CAROLS
by B. G. S. Girls' Glee Club
REFRESHMENTS ON SALE

BRYANT POND

Faulkner and Gordon Chase, Rachel Twitchell, Barbara Cole, Robert Cummings and Herschel Abbott were home from the University of Maine for the holiday and week end.

Miss Thelma MacKillop returned to Gordon College Monday after spending a few days with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. James MacKillop.

Harlan Bartlett fell last week and cut his head so he is unable to work in Mann's mill for a few days. Mrs. Inez Whitman, also Theodore Chase of Rumford spent Saturday and Sunday in Oakland, guests of Mrs. Whitman's daughter, Mrs. Clifford Taylor and family. Mr. Taylor went to Strong Sunday night where he will work as lathe tender in the mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Willard went to Needham, Mass. Saturday to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Rodney Willard.

LOCKE MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Glines, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Glines, Roscoe Truitt of North Rumford and Mr. and Mrs. Medias Mooney of Rumford were guests during the week at Eddie Downs'.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Keniston, Robert and Edith of West Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton McIntire and Myron of North Waterford, Mr. and Mrs. Raynor Littlefield and J. C. Littlefield were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fluke.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lister were guests of their daughter Mrs. George Ramsdell and family at Auburn Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walker of Portland were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ring Thursday. Mrs. Ring returned to Portland with them for the rest of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cummings and family were with relatives at Bethel Thursday.

Mrs. Oneda Davis, Everett and Leola of Milton and Lloyd Fuller of Bryant Pond were guests at Owen Davis'.

Claire Tebbets was home from the U. of M. over the holiday.

Favorable reports are being received from Mrs. W. B. Rand who is still at the Osteopathic Hospital in Portland.

ROWE HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Bryant and son Wilmer spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ring at Sumner.

Miss Elizabeth Palmer had the misfortune to stick a pitchfork in her foot recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Dunham have moved to Locke Mills for the winter. They will stay with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dunham.

Meri Lang and Bobby Coffin of Pinhook were at N. A. Bryant's Friday.

Misses Marjorie and Lillian Ring of Sumner have been visiting Margaret Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Bryant and Wilmer visited Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lang Sunday.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Mary Aldrich spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Tuttle at Hotel Andrews at South Paris.

Mrs. Oscar Doughty and daughter, Patricia spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chandler, South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cummings, son Ellis and daughter Carolyn spent Thanksgiving with her parents in Livermore.

Mrs. S. T. White and Miss Helmi Cummings spent Thanksgiving in Bath with Mrs. White's niece, Mrs. C. B. Swanton, and family. Harry Page tended the daily papers and other trade the two days she was gone.

The Helping Hand Class held their meeting with Mrs. Charles Stetson last Friday night with a six o'clock supper.

Conrad Lamb has bought the Robinson place and has moved his family there.

Mrs. Laura McKeen and daughter Ruth went to Massachusetts Thursday to visit their friend, Mrs. Mary Harmon, and family for the rest of the week over Sunday.

Mrs. Flora J. Cummings was the guest of her son Alanson, and family for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Franklin Waterhouse is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rubinoff, in Boston.

Hazel Cole and daughter Joyce from Mechanic Falls were holiday guests of W. E. Ring. Mrs. Glendine Collette, who has returned from an operation for appendicitis at Rumford, returned home with them for a visit.

A big crowd attended the benno party Monday evening, sponsored by the D. U. Veterans.

Nearly 100% of the business men have contributed toward the Community Christmas tree which is much appreciated by all.

Joe Barrett returned home from the Veterans' hospital in Togus Thanksgiving Day. Mr. and Mrs. Barrett have a small rent in George Tuell's house where they are doing light housekeeping this winter. Several attended the card party at Roy Morgan's in Greenwood Wednesday evening, which was under the auspices of the American Legion.

Shirley Perham continues to gain and plans to go back to school after the Christmas holidays.

Members of the West Paris fire company held their monthly meeting Tuesday evening. The usual refreshments were served.

Mrs. Arthur Dean was in Auburn and Lewiston on business Friday. Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cummings accompanied her.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Lawrence were Mrs. Frank Coffin and son James. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barrett joined the gathering for supper.

Mrs. Evelyn Gray is slowly improving and she is able to sit up a short time.

Miss Nellie Hammond and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hammond were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Morton Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis.

The Bates Literary Club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. H. Penley and a very interesting meeting was held. Each member told of some interesting trip they had made or incident they had known during the past year.

The Baynes Bird Club met Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Mabel Mann. Interesting letters were read from Mrs. Dana Grover and Mrs. Harlan Redding, members of the Club who are spending the winter at Felsmere, Florida.

The Oxford County Ministers' Association were guests of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes at the Universalist Church Monday. Dinner was served in Good Will Hall by the Good Will Society. The guest speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. Moulton. She and her husband have been missionaries in India for the past 17 years. Mrs. Moulton was introduced by Rev. Wilbur Bull of Waterford. Mrs. Moulton gave an interesting address on the life and customs of the people.

Mrs. Ella Bowker and James Russell spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. William Dyer.

Mrs. Basha Ackley has returned to North Fryeburg after spending several weeks at her home here.

of Bryant Pond, Mrs. Harry Billings, and Lee, Fay, Carolyn, Gordon and Beverly Billings spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett.

Miss Katharine Giroux of North Woodstock spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Miller.

Recent callers at Miss Clara Jackson's were Mrs. Clifton Bickford of Providence, R. I., Mrs. Eliza Paddock of West Providence, R. I., Mrs. Anna Hayes, Mrs. Doris Hayes and son Duain of Greenwood, Mrs. Ella Brown and Miss Vivian Brown of Rumford, Miss Marguerite Clancy of Rumford and Rupert Kelth of Lansing, Mich.

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Mrs. Nancy Andrews spent Thanksgiving day with her son, Arthur Andrews, and family at Bryant Pond.

Recent callers at Mrs. Addie Lapham's were Mr. and Mrs. John Cummings of New Gloucester and Philip Clifford of Rumford.

Miss Mildred Soule of Dedham, Mass., spent the week-end with Miss Clara Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Coffin and children, Barbara and Millett,

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—FRIDAY-SATURDAY—

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SIRLOIN ROAST	lb. 27c	O A T S large pkg. 15c	
Premium DAISIES	lb. 31c	Ask about FREE Gold Initials	
RUMP STEAK	lb. 29c	SPRY lb. can 10c 3 lb. 53c	
Fresh		Confectioners	
PIG LIVERS	2 lbs. 25c	SUGAR 2 1 lb. boxes 15c	
FRANKFURTS	lb. 19c	Royal Guest	
Texas Needles		COFFEE 2 1 lb. bags 45c	
GRAPEFRUIT	4 for 21c	SALADA Red Label 1/2 lb. 41c	
Fancy York		TEA Brown Label 1/2 lb. 35c	
ONIONS	4 lbs. 13c	Sally May and bat. Parfum Bouquet	
		BEAUTY SOAP 4 bars 20c	
		Belmont Assorted	
		CHOCOLATES lb. box 29c	
		Chambo	
RINSE 2 lgs. pkgs. 41c		CHOCOLATE CHIPS lb. 23c	
MA Light and Fluffy		PEANUT CLUSTERS lb. 23c	
CAKE FLOUR pkg. 21c		PEANUT BRITTLE lb. bx. 23c	
LUX Toilet Soap 4 bars 25c			



BETHEL HOLIDAY NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Williams were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard F. Williams and family at Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Drummond spent Thanksgiving and the rest of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Drummond at Falmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rowe had as Thanksgiving guests Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rowe and daughter Margery and Miss Rosalind Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Browne and family entertained a party at their home, including Mr. and Mrs. Orrell Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Myers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Clark of Dover-Foxcroft, Paul Browne of Bucksport, Miss Lucy Cobb, Belfast, Robert Browne, Orono.

Mrs. Viola Lord, Miss Alzena Lord, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown and daughter, Sally attended a family party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton at North Newry.

Miss Arlene Greenleaf and friend, Miss Ruth Morgan, of Boston spent the holiday recess with the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Luxton and daughter, Barbara, entertained the following guests at their camp in Mason: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morrill and family of Mason; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Morrill, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Durell of Norway, and John Haselton.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall and family had as Thanksgiving dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert and four sons, Shirley, George, Arthur and Randall of West Bethel and Willard Thayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Syl LeClair and son, Gilbert, were holiday guests of Mrs. LeClair's mother, Mrs. Lura Daye, at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown had as guests Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Grover, Mr. and Mrs. William Von Zint, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Brown and son, Carlton, and Mrs. Moses Brown of Portland.

Charles Austin of Portland and Maynard Austin from the University of Maine were with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bennett and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield McAllister at North Waterford.

Miss June Little of Boston was the guest of Mrs. Dorothy Tucker. Mrs. Tucker, daughter, Patsy and Miss June Little were dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hale at West Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven and family spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Belno Handy in Salem, Mass.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson had the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holroyd, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Raynor of Berlin, N. H. Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Brooks were Miss Electa Chapin of Old Orchard Beach, Miss Ellen Jolkko of Rockport, Mass., and Dana Brooks Jr., of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Carver and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Carver's father, Mr. Homsted, at Skowhegan.

Thanksgiving day guests of Mrs. A. R. Farwell were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cummings and family of Hanover and Mrs. Clara Rayford of South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Conner entertained F. S. Cotton, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Balentine and son Linwood, Middle Intervale; Mrs. Richard Carter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cotton Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cotton Jr. and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cotton and daughter, Frank Millett, and Ed Withey all of Mechanic Falls.

Thanksgiving dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Wilson and daughter, Miss Minnie Wilson, were Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Wilson and children, Harold and Joan, of South Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lapham, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Wilson and children, Laura and Malvern, Selden Grover, Mrs. Louise Clark, Leaton Wheeler all of Bethel; and Elmer Wilson of Gorham, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Chadbourne entertained his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Chadbourne of Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Pratt spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Pratt's parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reny in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Custer Quimby visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quimby at Gilead.

Sheridan Chapman of Boston spent the holiday recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meserve entertained Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cummings and family of Locke Mills.

Miss Virginia Walcott spent the holiday recess with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Walcott at Mechanic Falls.

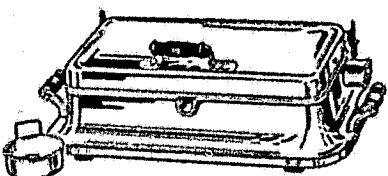
Mr. and Mrs. Patrick O'Brien and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert N. Hanson at Nashua, N.H.

Mrs. Floribel Nevens entertained Mrs. Mabel H. Brown, Shirley Brown and Ernest Herrick of Poland.

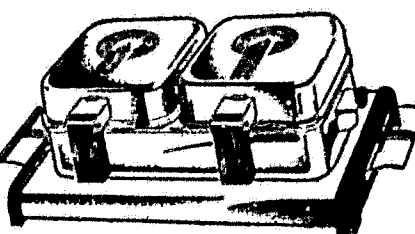
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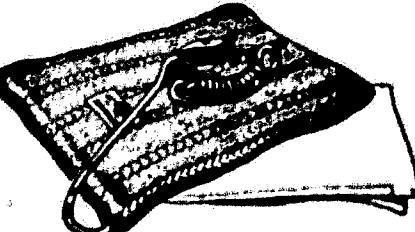
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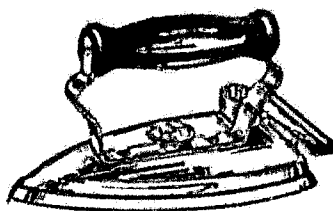
TWIN WAFFLE IRON—Very beautifully designed, heavily chromeplated. Cooks two waffles at same time—\$7.95.



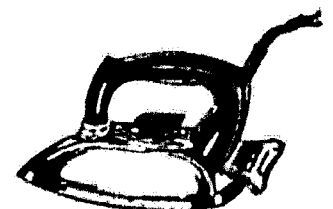
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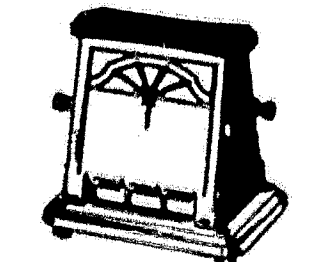
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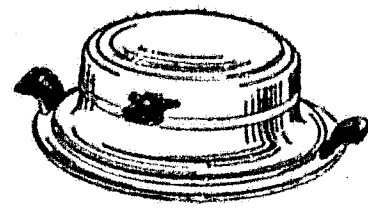
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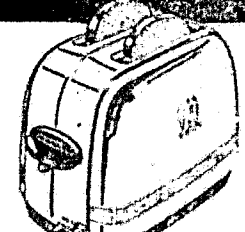
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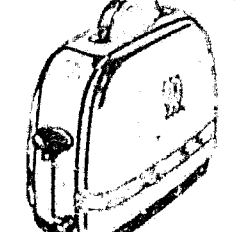
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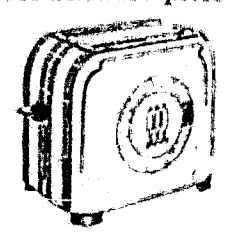
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40 YEARS AGO in the NEWS

Dec. 6, 1899

D. S. Hastings arrived Monday
from Montana with 17 horses. Mr.
Hastings carries on an extensive
business there raising horses, cat-
tle and sheep.

Newry Corner—Mr. and Mrs.
Jonathan Smith celebrated their
golden wedding anniversary Nov.
25.

HANOVER

Mrs. H. E. Dyer has gone to
Sanford to spend the winter with
her daughter and husband, Mr. and
Mrs. Joe Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cotton of
Columbia Falls have been the
guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
W. W. Worcester.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mills and son
of Norway and Mr. and Mrs. C. U.
Worcester were Thanksgiving
guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W.
Worcester.

Allen Richardson underwent a
slight operation at the Community
Hospital last week.

Mrs. Genie Daly of Portland, Mr.
and Mrs. Addison Saunders and son
were Thanksgiving guests of their
parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saun-
ders.

Mrs. Pauline Lovejoy dined at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Dark-
er.

Mrs. Alice Staples entertained
her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs.
Paul Staples of Rumford, over the
holidays.

Mrs. Addie Saunders, accompa-
nied by Mrs. Amelia Schwind of
Rumford, attended the monthly
meeting of the Grand Temple Club
held at Mrs. Hattie Lord's, Auburn,
Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cummings
and family were guests of Mrs.
Addie Farwell, Bethel, Thursday.



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NEWS ITEM—SLOW-DOWN STRIKES TAKE PLACE OF
OUTLAWED SIT-DOWN STRIKES.

CENTER LOVELL

Sam Ring, as delegate from Sun-
cook Grange, is attending State
Grange in Portland.

Mrs. Ray Smith spent a few days
the past week with her parents at
Port Bethel.

Mrs. Violet Wilkinson returned
from the Hospital in Boston Wed-
nesday.

Mrs. Carrie Eastman and daugh-
ter Patty, have returned to their
home in Chicago, Ill.

Herbert McAllister is working in
Sordum, driving team.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strobeck and
baby from Norway were Thanks-
giving guests at her mother's,
Grace Stover's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McKeen had
as guests Mr. and Mrs. Rodolph
McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. Burton
Stearns and two children.

Mrs. Elmer Davis, Norman, Ger-
ald and Alfreda were at Lewis Da-
vis'.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD PLANNING THE CHRISTMAS CARD



Put the greeting right in the picture—that makes the finest type of
Christmas card. And do your cards early this year!

HAVE you planned your photo-
graphic Christmas card yet?
No true camera fan would consider
any other kind—but it's wise to
see that they are prepared early,
in plenty of time for mailing before
December 25.

Any appropriate snapshot can be
made into a Christmas card...
but the best cards are those with
a picture especially made for the
purpose. For example, a snapshot
of the family carrying Christmas
tree ornaments, hanging up stock-
ings, or putting a Christmas wreath
on the door. Such pictures can,
of course, be taken long before
Christmas.

The most ingenious pictures in-
clude the greeting. Thus, Johnny
can be shown writing "Merry
Christmas" on his own blackboard
... or on a frosty windowpane. The
baby can be shown building a greet-

ing with his A-B-C blocks. Of course,
you build the greeting, then set it
aside—but that doesn't show in the
picture.

Cards can be simple, or quite
elaborate. The simplest type is a
 inexpensive cut-out mat or mask,
behind which the snapshot is
pasted. In another type, the picture
and greeting are printed together
on one sheet of photographic paper.
You can do this with one of the
Christmas card kits sold at camera
stores, or any photofinisher can do it
for you at modest cost. And—speak-
ing of cost—photographic cards
run no higher than ordinary printed
or engraved greetings, but far less
personal quality.

Now is the time to start on your
1939 cards. Do it early—while you
have plenty of time to do it well—
and it will be twice the fun.

John van Guilder

SCHOOL NOTES

Grade I
Not absent or tardy during the
past six weeks: Herbert Barker,
Marolyn Daye, Ramona Hall, Ger-
ald Harrington, Laurice Lord, Earl
Merrill, Alberta Olson, Viola Ol-
son, Gerald Pratt, Charlotte Stev-
ens, Dennis Winslow.

Grade II
Not absent or tardy during the
past six weeks: Shirley Andrews,
Laura Bennett, Nancy Cummings,
Carolyn Daye, Edward Gallant, El-
don Greenleaf, Leland Kimball,
Norman Lowell, Ole Olson, Betty
Perkins, Carolyn Perkins, Donald
Waterhouse, Howard Waterhouse,
Arlene Brown.

Grade III
Not absent or tardy during the
past six weeks: Donald Croteau,
Paul Croteau Jr., Richard Douglass,
Constance Doyen, Beverly Hall,
John Naimoy, William Naimoy.

Grade IV
Not absent or tardy during the
past six weeks: Ellis Annis, David
Bennett, Lorraine Collins, Robert
Croteau, Earl Cummings, David
Foster, Quentin Hall, Leona Kim-
ball, Kenneth Merrill, Phyllis Mer-
rill, Mary Wentzell, Theodore
Young, William O'Brien.

Grade V
Attendance published last week.
Those having 100% in all exam-
inations are Herbert Lyon, Harlan
Blake.

100% in all but one: Rebecca
Philbrick, John Cutler, Eugene
Van, Marilyn Boyker.

Grade VI
Perfect attendance (12 weeks):
Sadie Bean, Donald Brooks, Pearl
Daye, Helen Foster, Ruth Garber,
Frank Hunt Jr., Eleanor Kimball,
Marion Lapham, Elizabeth Lowell,
Frederick Pinkham, Betty Marsh-
all, Stanley Merrill, Helen Robert-
son, Betty Ward, Doris Water-
house.

Perfect attendance (6 weeks):
Margaret Baker, Sadie Bean, Don-
ald Brooks, Pearl Daye, Helen
Foster, Ruth Garber, Frank Hunt
Jr., Thomas Kennnough, Eleanor
Kimball, Marion Lapham, Elizabeth
Lowell, Betty Marshall, Stanley
Merrill, Frederick Pinkham, Helen
Robertson, Betty Ward, Doris Wa-
terhouse.

Grade VII
Perfect attendance: Richard
Bryant, Priscilla Carver, Harold
Conner, Lawrence Kimball, How-
ard Lapham, Patsy O'Brien, Marie
Penley, Fenton Robertson, Luella
Taylor, Helen Waterhouse.

100 in Spelling: Priscilla Car-
ver, Katharine Kellogg.

Grade VIII
Not absent or tardy the first
term: Lillian Cash, Phyllis Daye,
Perfect Spelling (including ex-
am.): Carl Wight.

Peggy Hanscom, Robert Kellogg,
Marilyn Marshall, Alice Pierce.

Not absent or tardy for the last
six weeks only: Willard Bean, Lou-
is Cross, Carol Robertson.

100% in Spelling including exam
last six weeks: Beatrice Forbes.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY NEWS

JACKSON-SILVER UNIT NO. 68

Regular meetings were held Fri-
day evening, December 1st by both
Unit and Post. President Anne Kim-
ball in the chair and Post Com-
mander Roy Morgan officiating for
the Legion.

Plans were completed for the
Children's Christmas party to be
held in Legion Home December 15.
Each child will receive an individu-
al gift and a box of candy and pop
corn, while the adults will ex-
change presents. A short program
is planned by Mrs. Idella Morgan.
A meeting to take care of necessary
business will be called before the
gifts are taken from the tree.

A card party was held at Mrs.
Roy Morgan's Wednesday evening,
December 6. The proceeds are to
go for the Christmas program.

A small donation was voted to be
sent to the State Child Welfare and
State Rehabilitation Funds.

A letter of thanks was received
from Opportunity Farm for this
Unit's contribution to their call for
help.

Junior member Miss Ruth Mor-
gan was accepted and placed on
the membership roll. The Post also
added Comrade Alfred Andrews to
their membership, making them
"100% paidup" with their goal set
at 25.

This year the Jackson-Silver
Post is sponsoring a Boy Scout
troop, as so many Posts throughout
the Nation do. The Scout Com-
mittee met Thursday evening to
further their plans.

BETHEL HOLIDAY NOTES

George Bowhay was the guest of
Robert Rathbone at his home in
Exeter, N. H., over the holiday.

John Twaddle of Boston Univer-
sity spent the holiday recess with
his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. B.
Twaddle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maguire and
two children were holiday and
week-end guests of Mr. Maguire's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ma-
guire in Portland.

Edward C. Bean of Haleb spent
Thanksgiving with his family here.
Other members of the family party
were Mrs. Thelma Hazling and
daughter Joan of Portland, and Mr.
and Mrs. Leon Wilson and children,
Dorothy, Barbara, Keith and Kath-
ryn, of Hanover.

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THE GIFT WIFE

By RUPERT HUGHES

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CHAPTER XV

After much parley, Checkless pieced together the man's fragmentary story into this narrative:

"He says one day in the afternoon, you are come here vit a nice little gyermek—child, and he makes notice of her, she is so pretty, and she loves his flowers so. He cannot understand it vat she say, but he loves her because she is so lovin' for his roses. But you did look tired



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and sick and you sit on a bench and go like you take a little sleep.

"The little girl she plays all the time and talks vit the gardener. He does not know what lengwitch she speaks it, but they make signs and become grand friends. She helps him trim the roushedge, and gets vit the thorns stuck, but is very brave and does not make a cryink. Instead she makes such a laughink!

"Soon a lady and gentleman is sit on another bench and watches the little girl, and they call her and she talks by them. But they are not understanding her either. The man is take her on his lap and lets her listen his watch, and they tell the gardener they weesh God had to them a little child gave like that.

"Long time the child plays here, and then she makes a looking for you. But you are not there. You had gone out of sight. The little girl is afraid, but she tries not to cry. The lady and gentleman stay a long while to keep her brave, for they say all the time you surely come back. Then the lady and gentlemen say, 'Ve take her to our house and if you see the man you tell him we got the child.'

"The gardener says, 'You better tell the police, too.' And they say, Yes, they tell the police; but all the same they like to keep the baby.

"Long times go by and the gardener is almost forgotten it all. When today comes you again and he has got such a big mad at you he wants to fight it. It is curious, you are looking for a child and you look like a mans vat looses a child."

"I am the man," said Jebb; "I was—ill, and I wandered away in a—sort of delirium. When I came to my senses I was in another country, and I couldn't remember."

Checkless almost awaked at so much history in such essence.

"So! Den all get got to do it is to find the gentlemen and lady vat keeps the child in cold storatch and say 'Here we are now!'"

"We must find them at once. What was their name?"

On hearing the question translated, the gardener made them wait while he went to the tool-house and brought from his coat a soiled and wrinkled card bearing this, and this only:

NIKOLAI POGODIN
Machines-a-ecire Flaubert
VARSOVIE ET PARIS

Checkless gleaned from this:

"He is a Rossian name, and he sells French typewriters in Poland."

"I see that," said Jebb. "But this does not tell where he lives in Budapest; ask him."

The gardener turned the card over and put an earthy finger on a pencilled address on the back of the card. But it had been blurred till nothing was legible but "Pension—Ullout."

"Who is Ullout-ut?" said Jebb.

"He is a street, one of the longest streets in Pest."

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"I got it," he said. "Ve go to the telephone newspaper and tell them they got to tell everybody in Budapest all about it, and maybe sure somebody telephones to the office something about it."

The vocal advertisement was accepted for its news value without charge and put upon the wires while they waited.

The rest of the day Jebb spent in wandering up and down Ullout street, studying every house and seeing in each one a den where Cynthia was incarcerated.

He dined with Checkless at the Hotel Bristol. When they had ordered dinner, Checkless went to telephone to the telephone-paper. He came back beaming:

"A man has called up the paper and says he knows some'ink. They give him this address and he comes here any minute."

At last a hotel servant brought a man who had asked for Jebb at the desk. Jebb asked Checkless to ask the man to sit down and feast. The stranger answered rather petulantly for himself:

"Ain't I got any English? Ain't I gone to New York many times?"

"You are not Mr. Pogodin, then."

"Me him? If I was I should yoomp into the Doman. He is one dam' reskel, that feller. My name is Laszlo Pataky, proprieting the Pension Pataky, rates reasonable, food sub-lime."

Mr. Pataky was a man of great excitability. He was chiefly impressed with the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Pogodin had gone away owing him money, and that they had refused to pay for a vase and a pitcher the child had broken.

When Jebb offered to pay for the breakages of Cynthia, Mr. Pataky became almost amiable. The gist of a long three-cornered duel with him was that Mr. and Mrs. Pogodin tried to sell French typewriters in vain competition with the American makes. One day the Pogodins came home with a child. They said they had adopted her.

That evening while Mr. Pataky was at the Folies Caprice seeing a musical work, the Pogodins had made haste to pack up their belongings and ship them to the station. Mr. Pataky being away from home did not learn which of the stations they went to, and from.

In answer to Jebb's frantic demands for a guess as to the probable destination of the couple, Mr. Pataky pulled out a business card, the duplicate of the one Jebb already had. Mr. Pogodin was in business both in Paris and in Warsaw. He had not done well in Pest.

"I am sure you find them in Paris or in Warsaw, if maybe they ain't gone to some other place."

To come to this Y-shaped trail and realize that whichever way he took he would wish he had taken the other, and that every day of delay increased the difficulty and blurred the track, was maddening to Jebb. He gave Pataky the money for Cynthia's little destructions and got rid of him with curt phrases.

When Jebb reached Vienna the next morning and went into the breakfast-room he found Miruma waiting for him. Her face was luminous with welcome, but it turned gloomy as she cried:

"You deed not fuded the Cynthia child. Amant aman!"

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explained his new dilemma. She solved it in one instant:

"Leesten.—Do you speak Polish or Mosgovian?" He shook his head. Then she ran on, eyes flashing with delight over her scheme:

"I am cherkes-Circassian born, and I learn some Russian as child, before I am taked to Turkey."

"But leesten? You shall go to Paris and look, and I shall go to Warsaw. The one who finds the child feerst telegraphs the other. I bet you I gone to find her the sheker-bull—the sugar lump feerst. What you bet?"

By this time the Ludlams met in the breakfast-room and came over to their table. The story and the scheme told all over again enraptured sister Jennie and even opened the fat eyes of brother Charles. As a much traveled woman, sister Jennie scoffed at the idea of any difficulty in Miruma's way.

Brother Charles volunteered to get the passport from the American consul in Vienna. An hour later he came back with it boastfully:

"It isn't everybody that could have got this," he said; "I had presence of mind enough to realize that if I said Mme. Janghir was a Turkish lady there'd be all sorts of red tape. So I said she was an American."

"Well, she is, by intention," said sister Jennie. Miruma blushed and Jebb sighed.

The Warsaw train left at noon and required seventeen hours for the journey. Jebb's train to Paris took twenty-seven hours, and he was weary of globe-trotting.

There was so little time to get Miruma aboard her train, and there were so many instructions to give her, that leisure was left to talk

of nothing else. And Jebb was sadly glad of this; it saved him from the torment of restraining his words of adoration.

Jebb's mood was funereal when he returned to his hotel. In his absence the Ludlams had decided to go to Paris by the same train—a conspiracy hatched by sister Jennie to console him.

When dinner was finished sister Jennie told Charles to go to the smoking-compartment, and stay there; and she asked Jebb to come back after the expiration of one cigar. As soon as he had accomplished his cigar he wandered back to sister Jennie. Then she unfolded her plan:

"When I first saw you in Vienna the other day, and thought you were very rich, I told you I wanted more of your help, you remember?" Jebb smiled.

"Now that I find you are not an idle millionaire, but a keen and brilliant surgeon—oh, don't lift your hand—it gives you away as a surgeon, and Miruma has told me of your miracles in—wherever it was."

"I spoke to you of my poor brother Wentworth. Before I die I want to see a memorial of that beautiful soul, cursed through no fault of his own, by an inheritance from poor ancestors that had heaven knows what sorrows or failure to drive them to despair. My poor, dear brother was started wrong, he could never hope to be what he ought to have been."

"So I thought that a hospital for correcting the malformations and the inherited handicaps of little children would be about as good a memorial for poor Wentworth as I could find."

"And I wanted a large part of its work to be experimental. I want it to keep investigating, finding new methods, pushing into the dark. You understand, don't you?"

"That's about all I understand in this world, Miss Ludlam," Jebb exclaimed with unusual fervor for him. "That's my religion, and the closest I can come to a prayer is an operation. And as for experimenting—it's the crying need of the world, Miss Ludlam. If only a man could have a lot more money to spend and all his time to devote to exploring. Experimental surgery is the new world; it's unbounded, undreamed-of—why, my God, it's—excuse me!"

He collapsed in full flight, ashamed of his own excitement, but sister Jennie cried: "Don't mind me—I'm used to Charlie. I love to hear you swear. It shows you have the frenzy that a man needs to be great. You are the man I need to help me found this memorial. It must be just a little different from those that are already established; it must—but you know so much better than I do what is needed. Won't you please—please—take charge of it for me!"

Jebb almost fainted at this gift, so great he had never even dreamed of it.

They talked till the porter informed them that the whole car was complaining.

When the train at last reached Paris, the Wentworth Ludlam Memorial Hospital and Experimental Station was pretty well talked out, and a good deal of it was mapped on paper.

The first place Jebb sought in Paris was the office of the Machines-a-ecire Flaubert. The president and his son received him and recognized the name of Nikolai Pogodin with contrasting feelings. The younger member of the firm laughed; the elder swore.

Mr. Pogodin, they said, had been their agent, but his interest in the race tracks of various capitals had mixed up his accounts so that they had regretfully erased him from their rolls.

The Flauberts promised Jebb any information in their power, but they doubted if Pogodin were in Warsaw, or that he would remain anywhere long.

—To be concluded

MIDDLE INTERVALE

D. S. Brooks and family spent Sunday, the 26th with Mr. Brooks' son in N. H.

Susie Capen was at home last Sunday.

Curtis Winslow is working for Leslie Davis in Upton.

Stephen and Mabel Abbott entertained Mr. and Mrs. Mann and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elwell, Miss Sarah Abbott and Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobson Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens took dinner with Mrs. Stevens' brother in Albany. Her mother, Mrs. Stearns, returned with them for a visit.

Ronald Stevens and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carey Stevens took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swan in Locke Mills.

Mrs. O. A. Buck and son Everett spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Duck.

A circle supper was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Davis Saturday evening.

H. E. Harlow spent Thanksgiving with his brother in Buckfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of Auburn were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton Jr. over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Chapman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilgore at North Newry for Thanksgiving.

The Farm Bureau meets with Mrs. Grace Arsenault this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Learned entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Learned and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thurston of Rumford and Eleanor Learned of Norway.

A thunderstorm passed over town Sunday evening, Dec. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Rines and son Shirley, Mrs. Porter and daughter Claire all of Berlin were at the home of Grace Hulbert recently.

EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton of Elizabeth, N. J., made a hurried call at their camps at East Stoneham Saturday just to be sure everything was all right for winter. They also called on a few of their friends.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Files and family were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight and Barbara of Gilead and Mrs. Ann Files of Stoneham.

Twenty-seven relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Daddum for Thanksgiving dinner.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Nelson were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nelson, Albert R. Nelson and Vesta Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bickford and John Files Jr. were dinner guests of Mrs. Blanche McKeen Thursday.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Barker were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jewett and Lurline Martin, also Mrs. Effie Matherson of Norway.

W. E. Lang of Newtonville, Mass. was at his camp for the day, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rouse moved to Norway Sunday for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dudley have moved to Norway for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edric Foss of Pittsfield, N. H. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bartlett the past week.

Mrs. Georgia McAllister is having her house wired. Barton Files is doing the work.

Ina Good is visiting her aunt in Portland for a week.

Harry Churchill was in Mechanic Falls over the week-end visiting his mother and sister.

Mrs. Maud Grindle and daughter Evelyn are stopping at her daughter's, Mrs. Arthur Kimball's, for a while.

Miss Marlon Osgood of Norway was a week-end guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle were in Auburn on business Friday and had dinner with Mrs. Grindle's brother, Charles Bryant, and family.

Thanksgiving guests at Hollis Grindle's were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders, Bethel, and Mrs. Maud Grindle and daughter Evelyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Brown and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osgood of Bethel for Thanksgiving.

Miss Florence Kimball has returned home after working for her sister, Mrs. Wendell Barker, for a few weeks.

Walter Lapham was home from Bath over the week-end.

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STATE To all persons of the Estates At a Probate ris in and for ford, on the vember, in the one thousand thirty-nine, for the third Tues ber. The follow been presented upon hereinaf hereby Ordered.

That notice all persons in copy of this on three weeks a Oxford County paper publish County, that the Probate Court Paris, on the tember, A. D. clock in the for thereon if they Mary J. Bar wood deceased account for the May Davis, p. ance by Eilery Mahel Harde wood, ward; F. ed for allowance guardian.

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EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Robert Hastings and daughter Ann accompanied Mrs. George Lister to Lewiston Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Roy Smith of Lovell was guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Farwell, several days last week. Mr. Smith was in town Saturday.

Willard Farwell, Deborah Farwell and Mrs. Roy Smith were in Portland Friday.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Haines were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haines of Locke Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes, Marilyn and Carolyn Noyes, Mr. and Mrs. James Haines and Nancy Lee Haines.

Mrs. Linnie Hutchinson of Dixfield was in town Tuesday of last week. Her mother, Mrs. Ida Blake, accompanied her home for a visit.

Carline Dorey is staying with Mrs. S. B. Newton during her absence. Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Newton were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Averill, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Falkenham, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Akers and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hutchins and daughter, Basil Hutchins, Edward Hutchins, Max Cutting, Herbert Hutchins of Andover, Harold Falkenham of Norway and Mrs. Merna Allen of Upton.

B. W. Kimball and G. K. Hastings were Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Dana Harrington entertained as Thanksgiving day guests Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Edmunds of South Paris, Mrs. Wayne Moore and daughter June of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and son Gerry.

Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Edmunds and Mrs. Moore called on Mrs. Haakon Olson in North Newry Thursday afternoon.

Miss Alta Brooks was Thanksgiving and week-end guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton, North Newry.

Miss Mary Toft spent the Thanksgiving recess with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Toft, South Portland.

Willard Farwell, Master of Alder River Grange, is attending State Grange at Portland this week.

The East Bethel School Christmas tree and entertainment will be held at the Grange Hall Thursday evening, Dec. 14. Everyone is invited to attend.

Election of officers of Alder River Grange will be at the next meeting Friday evening, Dec. 15.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said November. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of December, A. D. 1939, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Mary J. Bartlett, late of Greenwood deceased; Sixteenth trust account for the benefit of Bertha May Davis, presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, Trustee. Mahel Harden Chase, of Greenwood, ward; Fifth account presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, guardian.

Fred Hapgood of Bethel, adult ward; Fourth account presented for allowance by Mildred Hapgood Lyon, conservator.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

60 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.



GILEAD

Miss Ruth Gilpatrick returned from Brownfield and Miss Dorothy Daniels from Portland Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Daniels and Helen Daniels brought them from Portland.

Errol Donahue Jr. returned home Sunday from the Clinic Hospital, Berlin, N. H., where he has been the past two weeks for observation and treatment.

Miss Juliette Nadeau of Berlin was a holiday and week-end guest of Mrs. Joe Simard.

Edward Holden spent the week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peabody and son Richard were in Rumford Saturday.

Floyd Donahue and friends of Farmington were guests at E. O. Donahue's Thursday.

Harry Miner of Island Pond, Vt., has employment on the G. T. R. section here.

Miss Alice Vashaw of Portland was a recent guest of friends in town.

Edward Holden of the Bartlett Central Repair Shop, Bartlett, N. H., is spending a few days in Warren, N. H., at the U. S. Forest Service Camp.

Miss Doris Pickford and Mrs. Irene Thompson of Conway, N. H., and Miss Marion Carver of Jackson, N. H., were guests of friends in town Tuesday.

There were services at the Union Church last Sunday with Rev. Orrin Manifold of Boston preaching. A. T. Heath is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Fraser and Laurence Robertson were in Gorham, N. H., Tuesday.

UPTON

Irving Akers, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Akers and baby and Basil Hutchins spent Thanksgiving day with relatives at East Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ban Barnett had for Thanksgiving guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. James Barnett, Mrs. Muriel West of Errol, Mrs. Katherine Euman and children of Upton, Willard Wight of Newry and Arthur Gibbs of Bethel. There were 17 including guests, host and his family.

Donald Frazer spent Thanksgiving Sunday with relatives in Andover.

The Young People met at the home of Mrs. John Manter, with Lee Barnett as leader.

Eighty-five deer were tagged in town.

Pearl Barnett was home from Gould Academy for the week-end.

Etta Barnett and Sarah Casey from Stephens High School, Rumford, and Mexico High School, respectively, were home for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Frances Fuller was home from Norway High School for the Thanksgiving week-end.

The Upton school have printed the second issue of their newspaper, the "Upton School News."

Mr. and Mrs. John Bredeau of Berlin, N. H., have moved into Williamson's camp. Mr. Bredeau is cutting pulp for Clarence Delong.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mrs. Leon Kimball attended the funeral service of a cousin in Auburn last week.

Roy Wardwell and son Arthur Eugene are trucking birch to Locke Mills for A. C. Clark.

Mrs. Albert Kenniston who has been in the Rumford Community Hospital for some time is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews, slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ring entertained a large family party Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Murray and E. E. Cross from South Portland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Wardwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell entertained at dinner Thanksgiving day the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball and Alice Andrews.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Frank Davis, with Mrs. LeRoy Abbott of North Paris, is attending State Grange at Lewiston this week.

Thanksgiving and week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Felt were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Strout of Mechanic Falls, Lester Felt and Miss Vera Morgan of Newport. Linwood Felt returned with his brother to Newport for a few days' visit.

Harry Silver is working in the saw crew at Stowell's mill, Bryant Pond.

Mrs. Vera Buck is caring for Mrs. Trask at North Paris, who is very ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cleves and family of Portland were guests Sunday of her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Andrews.

Lloyd Fuller is working on the farm of G. W. Q. Perham, as truck driver.

Mrs. Geneva Tuell of West Paris is spending some time with Mrs. H. M. Andrews.

The men who have been boarding with Mrs. Gerald Benson and cutting Christmas trees in the vicinity have finished their work and returned to their homes.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. George Cushman spent Thanksgiving day with their son Bernard at the University of Maine at Orono.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanno Cushman and daughter spent Thanksgiving with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck.

Herschel Abbott of University of Maine spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott.

Miss Marion Sherman spent the holiday with friends at Portland.

Mrs. C. James Knights and children spent several days last week with her father, Francis Cole. Her husband and brother were at East B Hill, hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coffin and family spent Sunday with relatives at Paris Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole called on Mrs. Hardy one evening last week. Mrs. Hardy was presented with a sunshine box from neighbors and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russ have closed their home here for the winter and gone to Auburn to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom of Greenwood were week-end guests of her sister, Mrs. Durward Lang and family. Sunday guests were her mother, father and brother. Mr. and Mrs. C. James Knights and family visited Sunday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Frank Sweetser, and family.

Bernard McMillan spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Hardy.

Mrs. George Abbott spent one day last week with her mother, Mrs. Nellie Abbott.

HOWE HILL

Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Roberts were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crockett and daughter Thelma, Mrs. Georgie Mason, Mrs. Abbie Hayes all of Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts returned home Monday morning from Auburn after a week's visit with Mrs. Roberts' parents.

Charles Bryant of Auburn and David Roberts of Locke Mills called at Loring Roberts' Monday.

GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler had as guests Thursday, Nov. 30, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mills, and Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, West Bethel.

A family group met at Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Whitman's, including Mrs. Jeannette Trefethern, Portsmouth, N. H.

Malcolm Mundt from Westbrook and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mills and children, Bethel, were with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Mundt and son James Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grover from Gorham were with their daughter, Mrs. Verne Mills, and family, North Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich from Portsmouth, N. H., were week-end guests at Clyde L. Whitman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wight and family of Norway were entertained at Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Whitman's Nov. 30.

Dan Smith from Bethel did repair work on M. F. Tyler's telephone Monday.

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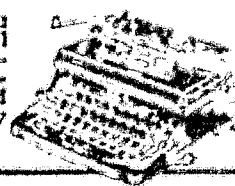
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GREENWOOD CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Millett and family were Thanksgiving guests of Percy Millett at South Paris.

Fay Morgan spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Maynard Chase at West Paris.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan were Mr. and Mrs. Merl Whitman, Mona, Marshall and Malon Whitman of Woodstock. Mrs. Lewis Britton, Hene, Frankie and Lewis Britton of Freeport. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Currie and daughter Maude of Mechanic Falls. Helen Curtis, Frank Curtis, Fred Curtis and Ernest R. Curtis, all of Greenwood and Lucy Curtis of Woodstock.

Miss Lemp Tamlander spent the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tolva Tamlander.

Mrs. Anna Hayes entertained many relatives and friends on Thanksgiving Day.

Pupils not absent or tardy for the last six weeks of school are Helen Tamlander, Ardell Hayes, Owen Morgan and Ruth Morgan.

SCHOOL DAYS

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, December 10th
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
9.30 a. m. Sunday School.
11.00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject, "Two Approaches Toward Christmas."

6.00 p. m. The Pilgrim Fellowship is host this evening to a Rally to which the Norway, South Paris, Waterford, Upton and Bethel M. E. young people's groups have been invited. We have supper together, picnic style, at 6 o'clock, followed by a sing-song. At 7.30, in the Church, there will be a worship service and address by Mrs. Buck, of Naples. All our church people and their friends are invited to this service.

The GIFT SHOP conducted by the Ladies' Club and Junior Guild continues Friday afternoon. Have you bought all your Christmas gifts?

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pastor
9.45 Church School. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, superintendent.
11.00 Sunday Morning Worship. The Chorus Choir will sing "Worship the Lord of Glory." Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist and director.

8.30 Epworth League. Leaders Mrs. Gordon and Henry Robertson.

7.30 Evening service. Bible readings. Subject, "Our Christmas Thoughts."

Ladies' Aid Christmas Sale and Tea Dec. 14.

And the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the Lord Isaiah 11: 2.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Services Sunday morning at 10:45. "God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ. Scientist, on Sunday, Dec. 10.

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and even for evermore" (Psalms 121: 8).

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The Lesson-Sermon also includes passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

BORN
In West Bethel, Dec. 4, to the wife of Roland Kneeland, a daughter, Jane Estella.

MARRIED
In Minot, Dec. 2, by Earl S. Damon, Justice of the Peace, Edward H. Briggs of South Paris and Shirley F. Brown of Woodstock.

In West Paris, Dec. 6, by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Robert W. Kirk of Bethel and Miss Carolyn Swift of Locke Mills.

DIED
In Rumford, Dec. 1, John E. Stephens, aged 80 years.

In Boston, Nov. 29, Mrs. Louisa Willard, wife of Dr. Rodney F. Willard of Needham, Mass. formerly of Bryant Pond.

In Rhode Island, Dec. 5, Nelson Week, formerly of Bethel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Homer Crockett and family
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sumner and family

THE OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH

The Week beginning THURSDAY, Dec. 7th: In the East Stoneham Church there will be a dedication of the new kitchen and waiting room at the Circle Supper. In Albany there will be a Circle Supper. In Lovell there will be a Teachers' Meeting at the home of William Dallinger.

FRIDAY is the regular Circle Supper in Lovell.

SUNDAY the 10th: Regular services in all the Churches; Pilgrim Fellowship in the evening meeting in its several divisions.

MONDAY the 11th: The North Waterford Older Young People meet. Also the Recreational Council in Hebron.

TUESDAY the 12th: The North Waterford Church Cabinet meets. In North Lovell the School House Service meets for its sixth session.

THURSDAY the 14th: An East Stoneham Circle Supper.

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P. T. A. T. MACMILLAN

At the meeting of the Teachers' Association, last fall was a series of card next month, committee: M. Kerckhoven, and Mrs. Chas.

A letter was B. MacMillan, last fall was of sickness. I Captain Mac in April or May.

Mrs. Ruth nurse, of Rumble talk on eases, and the the grammar songs.

Committee for ing is Miss Norman Ford a

BEAR RIVER

Bear River its regular meeting, Dec. 9, three visitors F. I. French p

Officers pro Overseer, Lectur in, Treasur Ceres. Pro tel follows: A. S., Hugh Scarborough Ladd; Flora, M. S., Ida Wright

One name membership.

The Secretary, nance Committee following office the year 1940:

Master—Arth Overseer—Ar Lecturer—El

Steward—Al A. Steward—Chaplain—Id Treasurer—H

Secretary—A Gate Keeper—Ceres—Minn Pomona—Mal Flora—Amy

L. A. Steward Executive Col F. I. French

Installing Off Resolutions o on the death of one of our old ed members.

It was voted ing for our ins Sister Carrie

interesting rep State Grange.

SESSIONS—SM

A quiet wed the Methodist day morning, Ethel Smith b

Lawrence Sesi Gordon officiat ring service, are from Lock

many friends tions. They w Mrs. Hattie Sea is M. Smith, m and groom.

NELSON H. W
Nelson H. W dence, R. I., I was born at Brunswick, Se Elizabeth Scott

In 1886 he m who died in 18 Surviving ar Mrs. Jane Lori

R. I., Mrs. Pe Florence Jorda Mrs. Bertha grandchildren grandchildren.

Mr. Weeks w dence.